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SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND ITS PRODUCTION PROCESS

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Title:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated January 11, 2005 (for which petition is hereby made for a three month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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